(c) Since law and order is a State subject, parimarily it is the responsibility of State/District administration to take necessary deterrent action to stop/curb illegal mining. However, Government has been advising the concerned State Governments from time to time to take stringent action against the culprits as per provisions and legal aspects available in the Mines and Minerals (Development & Regulation) Act, 1957. Coal India Limited (CIL) and its subsidiaries are also associated closely with the concerned State and District Authorities to deal with this menace.

(d) The fire was dealt with initially by pouring water from surface and smothering of surface cracks and voids. Later on, water mixed with DAP, sodium silicate, liquid nitrogen mixed with foaming agent was poured through strategically drilled 25 Nos. of bore holes. During the operation, water tanker and fire tenders were deployed to quench the fire. Dozer was deployed to fill the voids and smother the cracks. Drills were deployed for drilling boreholes and pay loaders were deployed for mucking and filling. Central Coalfields Limited (CCL) extended all necessary help.

Though the intensity of fire, temperature and smoke has reduced considerably due to all out efforts undertaken by CCL, the total elimination of fire can be achieved only by digging out the affected area. Diversion of the affected part of the road is being undertaken by the State Authority and NHAI.

Shortage of coal in energy sector

†293.SHRI SHREEGOPAL VYAS : Will the Minister of COAL be pleased to state :

(a) the projected shortage of coal in the energy sector during the next five years;

(b) the quantity of coal targeted to be produced from indigenous coal mines and the quantity required to be imported to meet the shortfall;

(c) the names of the countries approached for supply of coal; and

(d) the other possibilities being explored in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF COAL (SHRI SHRIPRAKASH JAISWAL) : (a) As per Mid-Term Appraisal undertaken by the Planning Commission the overall shortage of coal by the year 2011-12 may be of the order of 81.03 Mts. The overall gap between demand and supply at the end of 2016-17 as projected by Working Group on Coal and Lignite for formulation of 11th Five Year Plan may be revised upward to 86.50 Mts.

(b) As per Annual Plan 2009-10 of Ministry of Coal, Mid Term Appraisal by Planning Commission & Working Group Report, the total coal availability from CIL sources and projected import for the year 2009-10, 2011-12 & 2016-17 are given below:

Item/Year	2009-10 (As per Annual Plan 2009-10)	2011-12 (As per MTA)	2016-17 (As per Working Group)
Total coal availability from CIL Sources	435.00	486.50	647.50
Total import (Coking + non-coking)	70.00	81.03	86.50

(c) and (d) The following steps have been initiated to augment the supply of coal :-

(1) CIL intends to acquire coal resources and develop coal projects in the first phase in Mozambique, Australia, Indonesia, South Africa and USA. The coal produced from these properties shall be imported to India to meet the coal demand.

(2) MoC has also allotted 208 coal blocks to private/public entrepreneur for development and operation of mining for production of coal.

Training to officials to check corporate frauds

294. SHRI P. R. RAJAN : Will the Minister of CORPORATE AFFAIRS be pleased to state :

(a) whether Government is planning to impart training to Government officials, particularly in his Ministry and the Comptroller and Auditors Generalus office, in the areas of financial risks, corporate governance and internal audit;

(b) whether Government is taking any measures to avoid incidents like the Satyam scam, which was a result of presenting wrong account statements by corportes; and

(c) whether Government has approached US-based Institute of Internal Auditors for imparting such training?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF CORPORATE AFFAIRS (SHRI SALMAN KHURSHEED) : (a) The Ministry has established Indian Institute of Corporate Affairs (IICA) to act as the capacity building support for the officers/officials of the Ministry on issues relating to effective corporate functioning and regulation. The Institute can also design and deliver training programmes on such areas relating to corporate laws and regulations on specific requests from concerned Ministry/Department/Organisation. The office of the Comptroller and Auditors General conduct audit only of Government companies/organizations.

(b) An elaborate regulatory framework is in place to deal with such incidents. This framework provides for statutory disclosures about the affairs of companies intended to inform the stakeholder the truth about the state of affairs of companies. To facilitate making of such disclosures by